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Suspects still sought in 1992 West Sacramento shooting

■ Police believe driver of suspects' car may again be living in West Sac

By Steve Marschke

About noon on May 25, 1992, a West Sacramento parolee named Raymond Cordova, age 42, found himself near Bell Circle in Newton Way in West Sacramento, making contact with a man and a woman in a 1977 Ford Granada.

Then the male suspect fired a handgun from the car and hit Cordova.

"They shot him, and the guy got out of the car and shot him several more times while he was lying on the ground," said Lt. David Farmer of the West Sacramento Police Department. "Then they fled in the car, which we recovered several days later."

The shooting, police believe, centered around drugs.

"We believe it was drug related," said Farmer. "All the indications were that it involved drugs."

Although the car was recovered and a pair of suspects was identified, the two have never been arrested. Police believe, however, that the driver of the car -- the female suspect -- may be living in the West Sacramento area. They hope she will come forward now, six years after the shooting, and take responsibility for whatever her part was in it.

The woman has been identified by police as Debra Pearl Cordova (no relation to the victim), who turns 39 this month. She is also known as Margaret Louise Cordova and Debra Pearl Ayoub.

The male suspect -- believed to be the shooter -- is Jose Luis Sanchez, 29. He is also known as Jose Luis Huerta-Sanchez and Jose Luis Huerta.

"We have warrants for both of them for murder," said Farmer. "One witness actually followed the suspects' vehicle after the shooting and obtained information for us."

Farmer said he hopes Cordova is willing to come forward.

"If she is in the Sacramento area, we would like her to turn herself in."

Anyone with information on the suspects is asked to call Farmer at 372-2461, ext. 262.

Debra Pearl Cordova

Jose Luis Sanchez

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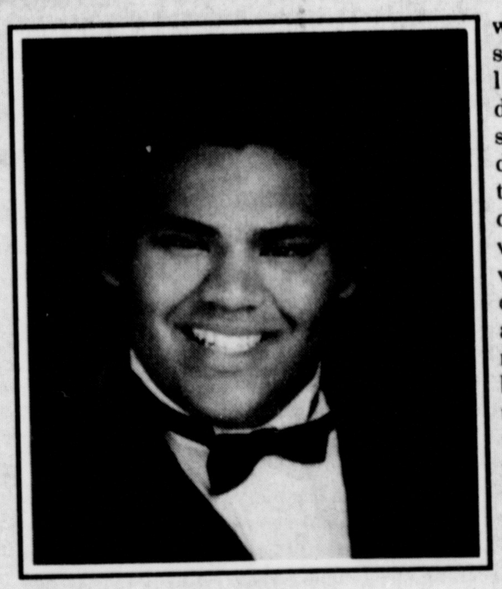
Rishi Sharma: involved student, man of two cultures

By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor



RISHI SHARMA

It's hard to go anywhere on the campus of West Sacramento's River City High School without running into Rishi Sharma.

The 17-year-old senior and his friendly smile seem to be just about everywhere you look. His youthful resume includes being the Editor in Chief of the school newspaper; the lead defense attorney on the Mock Trial team; the Commissioner of Internal Affairs for the Student Council; the president of the History Club; a five year member of the West Sacramento Youth Commission; and the student board member on the Washington Unified School District Board of Trustees.

"Rishi is a high school principal's dream come true," said Dr. Donna White, the principal at River City High School. "Not only does he do extremely well in the classroom, but he has taken advantage of almost all of the activities we have in place to help enrich the high school experience for our students. Rishi has been a joy to have around and we're all going to miss him. He's the most outstanding all-around student I've seen during my 30 years as an educator."

Rishi is the oldest son of Durga Prasad Sharma and Chandra Bandhu Sharma, both of whom have lived in the West Sacramento area for decades. "My family has an interesting history that I'm very proud of," explained Rishi. "My great-grandfather was a Brahmin, which is the priestly caste in India, but when he decided to leave his homeland, which was under the control of the British back then, he changed his last name so he would be allowed to work in Fiji as a farmer or laborer. Fiji wasn't interested in letting priests into their country at that time, they only wanted workers, but my great-grandfather wanted a better life for himself and his family and he did what he had to do to accomplish that."

When it was time for Rishi's father to get married, family members in the United States and Fiji arranged for Chandra to go and meet Durga in Fiji. "Arranged marriages are very common among Hindus," said Rishi. "My mother's brother knew and liked my father and thought they would make a good match. When they finally met, everything went well and my parents were married soon-thereafter."

"Hinduism is a big part of my family's life," Rishi went on to explain. "It's the major religion of India and over 85 percent of all Indians are Hindus. It's an ancient religion -- over 4,000 years old -- and it has four ideal stages, or stations of life. First is studentship, which lasts until you are married. Then comes householdership, when you raise your family and take part in society. The final two stages come after the children are grown and that time is dedicated to detaching yourself from worldly things and seeking spiritual liberation. But during all the stages of life, Hindus are expected to try and be honest, courageous, nonviolent, and develop other good qualities. Hindus also worship almost daily, either by visiting a temple or worshiping at home. My father often performs priestly duties and I've grown up in the Hindu tradition."

One of the things which Rishi has found difficult to do at times is bring together the Indian culture which is such a big part of his home life and the American culture which dominates his time while at school.

"There are a lot of important Hindu holidays and rituals my family observes," explained Rishi, "and sometimes they conflict with my school studies and activities. For instance, my grandfather passed away last year during finals, and it was difficult to properly study for them and also attend all the family activities associated with my grandfather's death. You see, when a Hindu dies, the family can't eat meat for 13 days, or cook in the house. They have to depend on others for food. There's also 13 days of prayer and a number of other responsibilities required of family members during the year-long state of mourning. So, there are always cultural conflicts in my life, but they only make my life better and more interesting."

One of the things Rishi likes best about West Sacramento is that is has a large Indian

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City to tighten budget belt

■ Slow growth of sales tax revenues means next city budget faces shortfall

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

West Sacramento's general fund -- that part of the city budget which pays for police, fire and parks -- may be smaller than anticipated next year.

A finance department report warned the city council last week that slow growth in sales tax revenue combined with negotiated labor contract increases and other costs will mean the 1998-99 proposed budget, which begins in July, will require some cutbacks.

"The budget is looking really tight," said City Manager Joe Goeden. "Probably, we'll need some trimmings. I call them 'trimmings' because they're not as significant as the cuts we've had to make in the past."

Goeden said that while departments in the city try to tighten their belts, the city council will probably follow its past policy of both trying to avoid layoffs and trying not to cut service to the public.

"Internally, we'll know we made the cuts," said Goeden, "but the number of people the public sees driving around police cars won't change, and the number of firemen at the stations won't change.

While the local economy is recovering from the '90s recession, said Goeden, that recovery hasn't been as strong as the city hoped. This weak local recovery showed in the relatively stagnant sales tax revenues the city is receiving to pay general fund costs.

Officials hoped the sales taxes revenues would show an increase of more than 3.5 percent over the prior rate. But "the latest quarter ending in November shows a small gain of 2.7 percent compared to the same quarter last year (and) the prior quarter showed an 11.4 percent decline," the finance department reported.

Also contributing to a current fiscal deficit were the costs of reacting to the early 1998 storm season -- including levee damage control and manning the Emergency Operations Center -- which used up about $75,000; and $60,000 in costs replacing a fire division chief with others working out of class and in overtime.

The budget for the coming year includes an estimated $342,000 in negotiated labor contract increases.

Armed teen robbers on bicycles

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

A pair of teenage boys on bicycles may be responsible for the armed robberies of two West Sacramento businesses in the past month.

The first of the incidents occurred at Vicky's Mexican Market on Sacramento Ave. on March 23.

According to a police report, the suspects entered the store, made a purchase and left. Returning five minutes later, they approached the counter and one removed a chrome handgun from his waistband.

The second suspect told the employee behind the counter to "give me the money." When she opened the register, the pair grabbed the cash and fled on bicycle.

In that incident, the suspect with the gun was described as a black male, age 15, 5' 8" tall, 140 pounds, with black hair and brown eyes, medium build, and wearing a green hooded sweatshirt, blue or black jeans, white shoes and carrying a chrome semi-automatic handgun.

The other suspect was described as a black male, age 15, 5' 8" tall, 140 pounds, medium build, with black hair and brown eyes, wearing a red hooded sweatshirt, blue jeans and black shoes.

The second robbery occurred on April 8 at the Run 'n Tell at 1208 Sacramento Ave.

Two suspects entered at about 3:35 p.m. and ordered burgers, then went through the

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630 acres of industrial park sold

Almost all of the 670-acre Southport Industrial Park (S.I.P.) will be sold to a Southern California company, the Sacramento Bee reported Friday.

Summit Commercial Properties, Inc., a subsidiary of Highridge Partners of El Segundo, is buying 630 acres of the planned industrial park. Current S.I.P. principles Frank Ramos and Marvin "Buzz" Oates will retain 40 acres of the property, including the spot where they are building a 444,000 square foot warehouse on speculation, and hope to remain involved in the development and management of the rest, said the Bee.

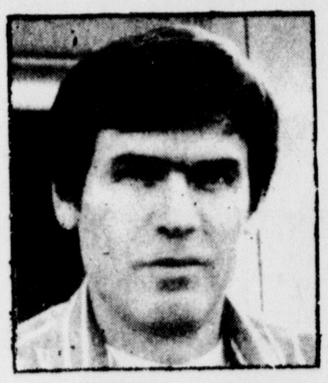
Highridge was described as a privately held company that controls $700 million in real estate investments, with experience in both commercial and industrial properties. The Bee said estimates of the sale price varied from $34 million to more than $40 million.

The industrial park was "grandfathered in" to the city's plans when West Sacramento became a city in 1987, and was at the center of an unsuccessful effort by some residents in 1990 to prevent new industrial development in that part of the city. A final barrier to development was lifted last year, with the completion of the Daniel C. Palamidessi Bridge across the barge canal.

The industrial park is located south and west of the Port of Sacramento.

There's much to learn from the Jimbos of this world

Editor's notes: Daryl is still on spring vacation from column writing. This is one of his favorites from the past.



By Daryl Fisher

One of the most interesting characters I met while I was in Vietnam was a middle-aged sergeant everyone called Jimbo. He was a huge man, with a flaming red moustache and a completely bald head. He absolutely loved 'soldiering', as he called it, and had joined the Army when he was a teenager. It seemed like he had been everywhere and seen everything. He was also the platoon philosopher and had an uncanny knack for being able to put every problem known to man into what he believed was the proper perspective. For instance, in the middle of a firefight, he once crawled up to me and whispered, "Fisher, dying is no big deal -- absolutely anyone can do it."

Jimbo believed that "Everything is perspective and perspective is everything." He used to drive everyone crazy with statistic after statistic (most of which I'm sure he made up) which he used to support his most cherished theory, that "None of us have the foggiest notion just how good we got it."

"Do you know what it means to be born an American?" he once asked me. I obliged by shaking my head 'no'. "Just to be born in America," he continued, "means you start off your life, economically speaking, in the top five percent of all the people on this earth. You think about that for a minute, Fisher." I did. "And if you're born into a regular family, like me and you were, just an ordinary middle-class family, that puts you way up there in the top two and one-half percent of all the people in the entire world."

"How do you figure that, Jimbo?" I asked him.

"Just look at how these people here in Vietnam live," he explained. "And things are no better in most other places in the world. Look at Africa, India, China, you name it. The majority of the people in this world can't even come up with a decent meal for their kids to eat most days." He started to play nervously with his moustache, as he always did when he was feeling genuine sadness for those less fortunate than himself. "You gotta stop carrying the weight of the whole world on your shoulders all the time, Jimbo," I suggested.

"It's just that it drives me crazy to hear all the bellyaching that goes on around here. And it's just as bad back in the world. People really need to start figuring out just how good they got it. We're living in the best times that ever were. We got more books than any one man could ever read, medicines that keep us alive forever, and we're free to do as we damn-well please."

Jimbo was the only man I ever met who could stand in the middle of a rice paddy in Vietnam (as he once did), admire the scenery, completely ignore the stench, and say with conviction, "It just don't get any better than this!"

One evening, just a few days before Jimbo was scheduled to rotate back to the States, I stopped by his hootch to thank him for all the great advice he had given me. "I'm really going to miss you, Jimbo," I said. "We'll have to stay in touch."

"Fisher," he said, "I've been in the Army for more years than I care to count, met hundreds of guys, and never stayed in touch with any of them. Tell you what I will do, though. I'll pass along the secret to staying sane in an insane world."

By then I had come to have great respect for Jimbo's way of looking at the world and I sat down on his bunk and listened carefully.

"You live in California, right?" he asked me. I nodded my head. "Well, then you're one of the real lucky ones, cause the ocean is right there next to you."

"The ocean?" I asked.

"Fisher, when nothing seems to make any sense, you just hop in a car and head for the ocean. Then sit out there on the sand and watch the ol' sun go down. That very same sun has been going down ever since time began, and those very same waves have been rolling in for just as long. And that sun is going to keep on going down, and those waves are going to keep on coming in, long after you and me and all of our puny little problems are long gone and forgotten about." He sat down beside me on the bunk and put his thick, muscular arm around my shoulder. "So you see," he concluded, "what people are always forgetting is that each of us, and all the things we're always worrying about, just aren't very important in the overall scheme of things."

"It's all a matter of perspective, right, Jimbo?" I asked, returning his smile and quoting his favorite saying.

"You got it, Fisher!"

Over 50? Time on your hands? Local police are looking for you!

From the City of West Sacramento

The City of West Sacramento Police Department is recruiting adult citizens of age 50 years or older and live in the City of West Sacramento to participate in the Volunteer in Policing Program. Opportunities as a volunteer working within this organization are many and varied. Volunteers in Policing will be expected to successfully complete a 48-hour academy, attend monthly training sessions and work a minimum of four hours a week. If this sounds interesting to you, applications are available at the Police Department, 550 Jefferson Blvd., or can be obtained at City Hall, 2101 Stone Blvd. Applications can also be obtained by downloading the information from the city's Web page at:

www.ci.westsacramento.ca.us.

Final filing date for current vacancies is 5 p.m. on May 1, 1998.

For further information, or questions, please contact administrative analyst Penny Miceli at 372-2461.

Crafts & dolls at the library

From Yolo County Library
Arthur F. Turner Branch

Yolo County Library, Arthur F. Turner Branch is pleased to present two programs based on the American Girls Collection published by Pleasant Company. Our first program is an arts and crafts program to be held on Saturday, April 18 at 1 p.m. Cheri Caldwell, docent at Sutter's Fort will demonstrate the art of making corn husk dolls. Materials will be on hand for those interested in trying their hand at making a doll.

There are many books in the American Girls Collection. They are filled with adventures that six lively American girls lived long ago. Each character has a

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Literary Corner:

New reading at the Turner Branch library

From Elise McCallan
Arthur F. Turner Library

New books at the Arthur F. Turner Library:

The Secret Life of the Expectant Mother: Nine Months of Mysterious Intuitions and Heightened Perceptions, by Carl Jones.

What Mystery Do I Read Next?: A Reader's Guide to Recent Mystery Fiction, by Steven A. Stilwell (library use only).

The Cat Who Couldn't See in the Dark: Veterinary Mysteries and Advice on Feline Care and Behavior, by Howard Padwee, D.V.M., and Valerie Moolman.

Volunteer Vacations (6th ed.): Short-Term Adventures That Will Benefit You and Others, by Bill McMillon (library use only).

The People Vs. Big Tobacco: How the States Took on the Cigarette Giants, by Carrick Mollenkamp, et al.

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OBITUARIES

Jacqueline Golding

Jacqueline (McReynolds) Golding died in West Sacramento on April 12, 1998.

She was the beloved mother of Elsie, Barbara, and Virginia; grandmother of Theresa, Shayne, Bobby, Kimberly & John-Paul; great grandmother of seven; and is also survived by numerous family members in France.

A native of France, she was a 51 year resident of West Sacramento and was 69 years old.

At her request, no services will be held. Memorials are preferred, instead of flowers, to the American Cancer Society.

Susie Certuche Flores

Susie Certuche Flores died in her home with her family surrounding her on Mon., April 13, 1998.

She was the beloved daughter of the late Bernardino and Brihida Certuche; mother of Antonio F. Flores, Jr., Lydia June Murphy, Frances Certuche Flores-Mancha, Eva Parker, and Irene Ann Elliott; sister of Paula Certuche and Julia Gomez; mother--in-law of Gerald Murphy, Bob Mancha, Ron Fulton, Bill Elliott and Gloria Flores; grandmother of ten; great grandmother of 17; and is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews and by special friends Richard Shill and Susie Serna. Waiting to take her hand when she arrives in heaven will be daughter Rita Flores, brothers Tony and Marrion Certuche and sister Annie Landeros.

"Susie" was born Feb. 5, 1919, in Porterville, Calif., and had lived in Bryte for the past 48 years. Age 79, she was a retired employee of the Washington Unified School District.

Friends are invited to funeral services Wed., April 15, at 7 p.m. in the River Cities Funeral Chapel, West Sacramento. Inurnment will be private.

Elizabeth Welcher

Elizabeth "Betty" Welcher died at home in West Sacramento on April 9, 1998. She was the beloved wife of the late Earl Welcher; and was mother to Geneva Holford, Deanie Arreola, Sandra Perry, George, Bonnie, Earl Jr., and Patty Welcher; sister of Frances Newton, Marge Porter, and Winnie Belshaw; grandmother of 13, and great grandmother of 13.

A native of Montana and 50-year resident of West Sacramento, she was 69.

Funeral services were held April 13 in the River Cities Funeral Chapel. Interment was at Camellia Memorial Lawn Cemetery.

Sumiko "Susie" Thompson

Sumiko "Susie" Thompson died in Sacramento on April 9, 1998. She was the wife of the late Stanley F. Thompson; mother of Frederick, Raymond, Edward and Benjemen Thompson and Diane Morse; and is also survived by numerous brothers and sisters in Japan.

She was devoted grandmother of five.

At her request, no services will be held. A native of Japan, she was a 38-year resident of Sacramento, age 75. Private inurnment will be at sea.

Local arrangements are under the direction of River Cities Funeral Chapel.

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SPORTS

Sports Insider

By Richard Novoa

The 1998 NFL Draft will be televised on ESPN on Saturday, April 18, starting at noon.

This year's first choice belongs to the Indianapolis Colts, followed by San Diego, Arizona, and the Oakland Raiders. The top two picks will be quarterbacks Peyton Manning and Ryan Leaf. These two young men should have no problem playing in the NFL next season. The Colts like Manning, while the Chargers traded away their future draft picks to get a shot at Ryan Leaf. Leaf, a junior last season, led the Washington State Cougars to the Rose Bowl last season.

The Raiders need lots of help next season on defense, so I think they will draft cornerback Charles Woodson, from Michigan. Woodson is probably the best athlete in the draft. The 49ers, on the other hand, will have to wait until the 28th pick in the first round before they select their first player. The 49ers need offensive linemen, cornerbacks, or another tight end to replace the retired Brent Jones. Look for the 49ers to go after cornerbacks Terry Fair (Tennessee), R.W. McQuarters (Ok. St.), or the giant fullback from Utah, C. Fuamatu-Ma'afala.

The Giants (8-5) were 4-3 on their current home stand, while the A's (2-8) continue to have their pitching problems. The A's are still searching for their first road win. The A's pitchers were hammered in New York by the Yankees last Friday. The Yankees scored 17 runs on 16 hits, while the A's pitchers threw in 12 walks!

I think that started the collapse of Yankee Stadium that postponed their games this week!

The A's will be returning home on Thursday for a four game series against Kansas City.

The Giants will be hosting the division-leading San Diego Padres on Tuesday and Wednesday this week before they head east to play in Milwaukee. The Brewers, who were in the American League last season, are now playing in the N.L. Central Division. Barry Bonds finally hit his first home run of the season on Monday. His homer snapped a streak of 227 Giants at-bats without a home run! That's six whole games!

West Sacramento's undefeated junior-featherweight Willie Jorrin (20-0, 11 KOs) has been added to the boxing card on May 9 at the Arco Arena. This boxing show will be televised nationally by Telemundo. Tickets are priced at $20, $30 and $40.

Pro sports were jumping this weekend in San Jose. The San Jose Sharks, who are battling for a playoff spot, beat the Mighty Ducks Thursday night and tied the Vancouver Canucks on Saturday, while the San Jose Clash (1-3) won their first game of the Major League Soccer season. the Clash squeaked out a 1-0 victory over the Chicago Fire on a goal by Clash forward Ronald Cerritos. With the World Cup of soccer just around the corner (June, in France) and with a Major League Soccer franchise playing in San Jose, look for a new bi-weekly soccer column (Korner Kicks) to start in May.

See ya next week!!

10-year old swimming machine —

By Barry Blacklaw
Dolphin Swim Team

If you happen to stop by the River City High School Pool on any given weeknight during the months of April through July or on a Saturday morning during the same period for a home meet you may catch a glimpse of a little girl in a purple swim cap that is one of the West Sacramento Dolphins Swim Team's Finest Swimmers. Her name is Jennifer Alander and she is already a veteran competitor at the ripe old age of 10 years old. Jennifer has been swimming for the Dolphins since she was four. She swims in the 9-10 girls division for the Dolphins in the Northern California Swim League. She made finals at

JENNIFER ALANDER

Championships for the past four years in just about every event she has competed in. Her best year was 1996 when she made the finals in every event that she competed in. Jennifer comes from a swim family, her older brother Nick and sister Cheryl both swim for the Dolphins with Cheryl being one of the members of the 15-18 girls relay team who were champions in two different events at last year's championships. The Dolphins kick off their season with their first practice session today at the River City High pool. This coming Friday they will be having their annual Kick-Off-Bar-B-Q at the West Sacramento VFW Hall starting at 6 p.m.

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RC baseball goes 1 for 3 in tourney

By Chuck Robinson

River City High School's varsity baseball team didn't do very well in the Del Oro Tournament. The Raiders lost the first game to Colfax 8 to 3. River City scored 3 runs on 7 hits, 4 errors. Colfax scored 8 runs on 7 hits, 0 errors. Hitting was Brady Tacdol, 1 for 4; Marc Palamidessi, 2 for 4, 2B, 1 RBI; Gary Herren, 1 for 4; Justin Deed, 2 for 3, 2 RBIs; and Allen Pearson, 1 for 2.

The second game was lost to Del Oro 6 to 5 in 8 innings. RC scored 5 runs on 10 hits, 2 errors. Del Oro scored 6 runs on 12 hits, 2 errors. Hitting was Tacdol, 3 for 5, 2 RBIs; Herren, 1 for 3, 1 RBI; Palamidessi, 1 for 5, 1 RBI; Brian Schrimsher, 1 for 5; Lorenzo Vasquez, 2 for 4, 2B; Rich Moreno, 1 for 3; and Angel Preciado, 1 for 4.

The third game RC beat Mesa Verde 7 to 5. RC scored 7 runs on 9 hits, 5 errors. Mesa Verde scored 5 runs on 8 hits, 3 errors. The winning pitcher was Ronny Crayne. Hitting was Tacdol, 3 for 3; Herren, 2 for 2, 2-2B, 2 RBIs; Schrimsher, 1 for 3, 3 RBIs; Vasquez, 1 for 4; Pearson, 1 for 2; and Sal Huizar, 1 for 3, 1 RBI.

Junior Varsity Plays in Rio Americano Tournament

The J.V. team lost to Elk Grove 10 to 5. RC scored 5 runs on 7 hits, 4 errors. Elk Grove scored 10 runs on 13 hits, 2 errors. Hitting was Robert Cervantes, 2 for 4, 3B, 1 SB; Eric King, 2 for 4, 2B, 2 RBIs, 2 SB; Bobby Flippin, 2 for 3, 1 RBI, 2 SB; and Clay Harrell, 1 for 3, 1 RBI.

The Raiders lost to Rio Linda 7 to 6. RC scored 6 runs on 8 hits, 0 errors. Rio Linda scored 7 runs on 14 hits, 2 errors. Cervantes was 2 for 4, 2B, 2 SB; Morton Geivett, 2 for 3, 2 RBIs, 2 SB; Flippin, 1 for 2, 1 SB; Frankie Medina, 1 for 2, 2 SB; Arnold Mendes, 2 for 4, 2B, 2 RBIs.

The third game was lost to Rio Americano 9 to 4. RC scored 4 runs on 7 hits, 2 errors. Rio scored 9 runs on 10 hits, 2 errors. Hitting was Cervantes, 2 for 4, 3B; King, 1 for 3, 1 RBI; Mario Santos, 1 for 3; Mendes, 2 for 4, 1 RBI, 1 SB; and Medina, 1 for 2, 2 RBIs.

The fourth game RC beat McClatchy 4 to 3. RC scored 4 runs on 5 hits, 2 errors. McClatchy scored 3 runs on 5 hits, 2 errors. The winning pitcher was Aurelio Vasquez.

Hitting was Cervantes, 1 for 3, 2B; Geivett, 1 for 4, 2 RBI, which was the winning hit; Santos, 1 for 3; Medina, 1 for 3; and Ray Ynostroza, 1 for 1, 1 RBI.

Wednesday, April 15, RC will play at home in a non-league game against Encina. Tuesday, April 21, RC will play again at home, in a league game against Lindhurst. Game time is 4 p.m.

Kings' Korner

By Richard Novoa

The Kings (27-51) have lost 22 of their last 25 games and are looking at the possibility of the seventh pick in next year's draft. the Kings have lost seven straight road games and things don't look much better as the season closes. Mitch Richmond is still out with a sore knee and will probably finish out the season on the injured list.

While most of the NBA teams are gearing up for the playoffs, the Kings have three games remaining on the road before they close out their season at home on April 19 against Vancouver. the game is not sold out!

Next week I'll have my picks for the NBA playoffs.

See ya at the Arco!

Sports Quiz
by Aaron E. Tucker

1. What was former Cleveland Indian great southpaw pitcher Sam McDowell's nickname?
2. Name the losing pitcher in game five of the 1969 World Series.
3. Name four baseball teams for which Tito Fuentes played during his career.
4. What former New York Met had the nickname, "The Hammer"?
5. Name the first baseball team Billy Martin ever managed.
6. What number did legendary Baltimore Oriole third baseman Brooks Robinson don?
7. Name the catcher who holds the American League record with the most home runs in a regular season.
8. Name the first team for which slugger Joe Carter ever played in the major leagues.
9. Can you name the first team manager Dick Williams led into the World Series?
10. Can you name the last National League player to hit over 50 home runs in a regular season?

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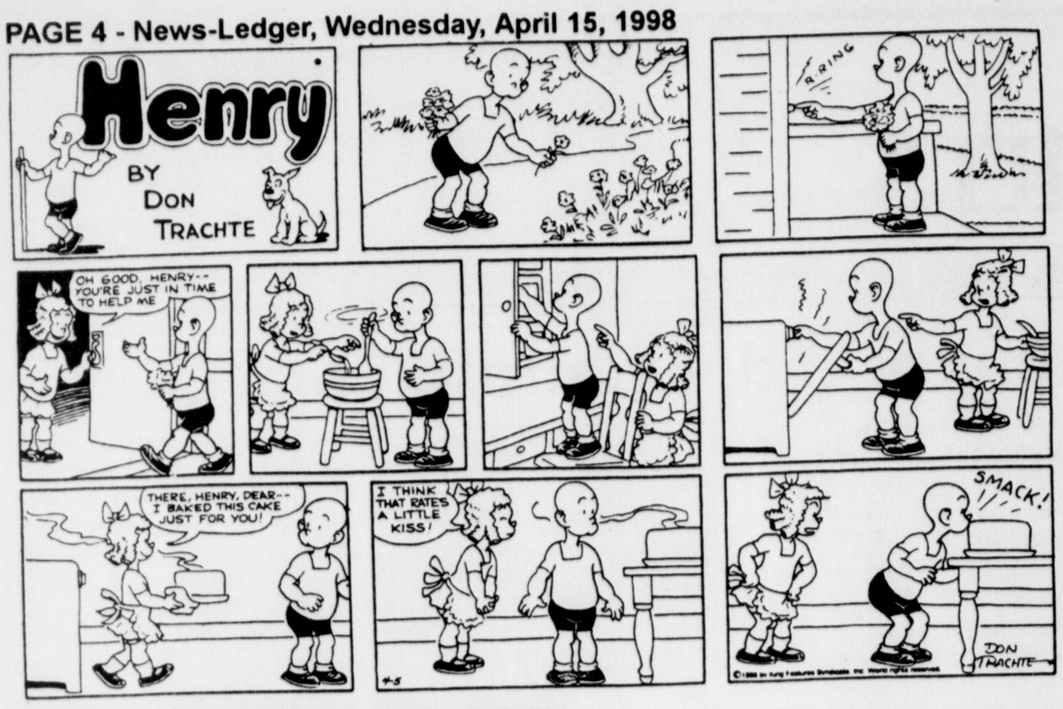

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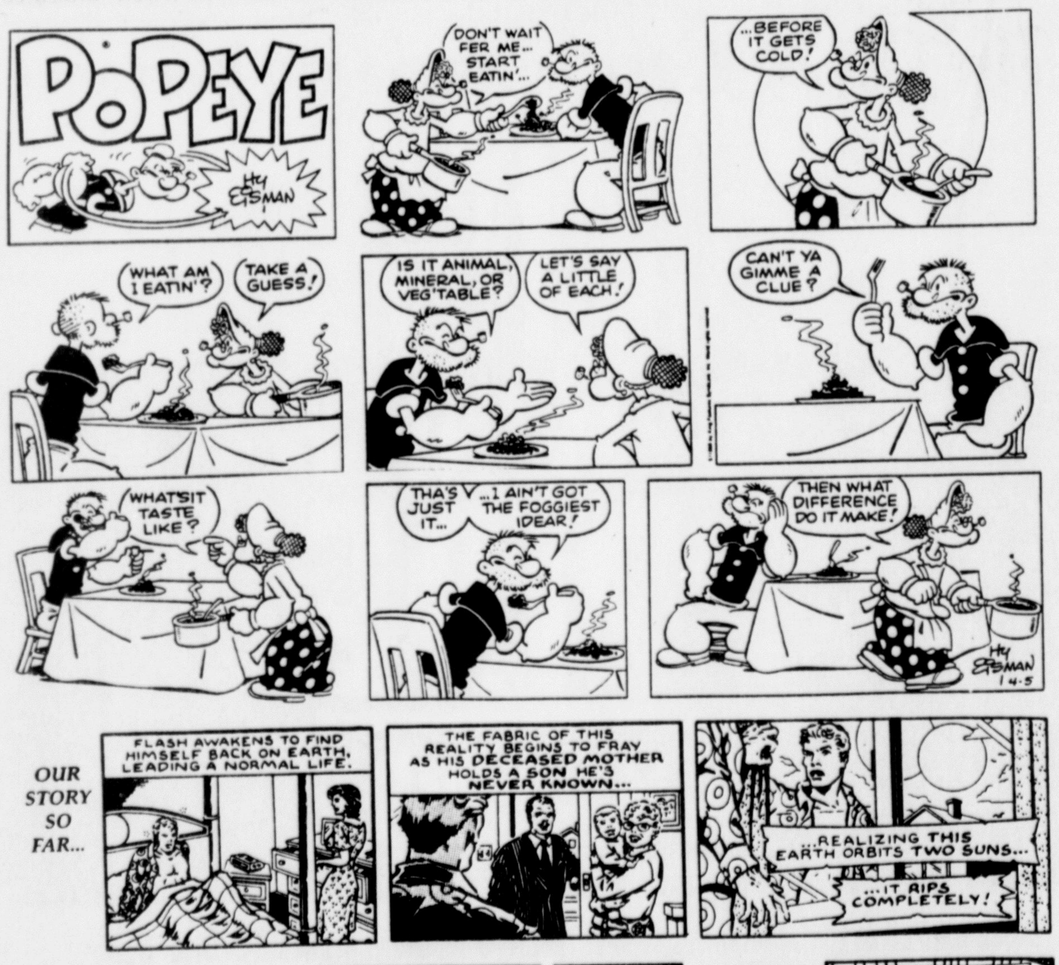

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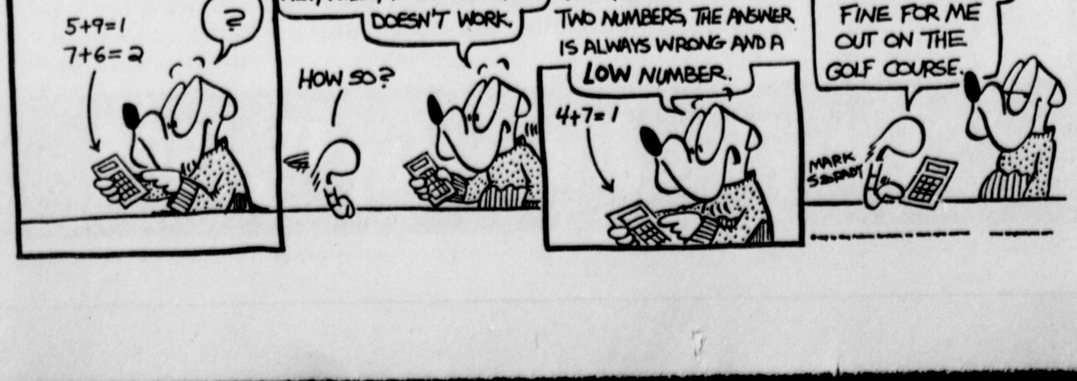

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6 Like kids at Christmas
10 Good buddies
14 Master, in Madras
19 Terrier type
20 Bring down the house
21 Exclude
22 Old witch
23 LaBelle or LuPone
24 Kaiser's counterpart
25 Geraldine Chaplin's mom
26 Gram-marian's concern
27 Be a thief
28 Fell
29 More morose
30 He makes money hand over fist
31 Leisure activity
34 Basket material
36 Mil. honor
39 Root for Ho
40 Sundial numeral
42 Hit the books
43 Strangelove and Seuss: abbr.
46 Prep school
48 On edge
50 Alfresco theater
52 Patch up a pump
53 Leisure activity
55 Become more complex
56 Access
57 Learning method
58 "I could — horse!"
60 — alia
61 Lucille's hubby
62 Helicopter part
63 Author Capote
65 Link letters?
66 Leisure activity
68 Leisure activity
70 Machine disk
73 Like lemons
76 Obligations
78 Mama's boy?
82 City on the Allegheny
84 Not any, with "a"
85 Poorly
86 Imply
87 Slander
89 Leisure activity
91 Yacht spot
92 Popped up
94 Mess specialists
95 Chewy treat
96 Stocking stuffer?
97 Lion's den
99 Photo-grapher's abbr.
100 Tricky stick?
101 Pipe fitter's union?
102 Worked the land
104 Leisure activity
107 Cast one's ballot
110 Chihuahua chum
112 Nabokov's last novel
113 Sherpa site
117 The Rolex of fiddles
118 — avail (uselessly)
119 Ornery Olympian
120 Cockamamie
121 Georgia city
122 Daredevil Knievel
123 Future of the present
124 Nick of "Q&A"
125 Tine
126 Medieval menial
127 Sundance's sweetie
128 Odysseus or Onassis

DOWN
1 Moves like mad
2 Roman auxiliary?
3 Quote an expert
4 Take — at (attempt)
5 Leisure activity
6 Leisure activity
7 Summer shelter
8 Conductor
Seiji
9 Eur. nation
10 Leisure activity
11 Romance
12 One-dimensional
13 Got cracking
14 Leisure activity
15 Fiery felony
16 Piltdown man, for one
17 "Picnic" playwright
18 Oktoberfest offering
29 Attack
32 Close as can be
33 — torte (bakery buy)
35 Grocer's measure
36 Threw down the gauntlet
37 Tantrum
38 Starts fishing
41 Spot in the sea
43 Nile feature
44 Split apart
45 Bergen dummy
47 Column style
48 Self starter?
49 Class
51 Max — Sydow
53 Big Three conference site of 1945
54 Five o'clock shadow
57 Violinist's need
59 "Jaws" setting
62 — room (family hangout)
64 Quick solution?
67 Leisure activity
69 Beethoven wrote one
70 Sky streaker
71 Texas landmark
72 Fracas
74 Nest eggs: abbr.
75 Wash or rinse, e.g.
76 The Cisco Kid's horse
77 New Haven hardwoods
79 One at — (singly)
80 Board
81 In any way
83 Word on a pump
86 Leisure activity
88 Patricia of "Hud"
90 Sonata movement
91 — War
(racehorse)
93 Expands
95 Leisure activity
98 Carry away
100 Least limited
102 Rocky Mountain range
103 '82 Barry Levinson film
105 Corday's prey
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114 Drained
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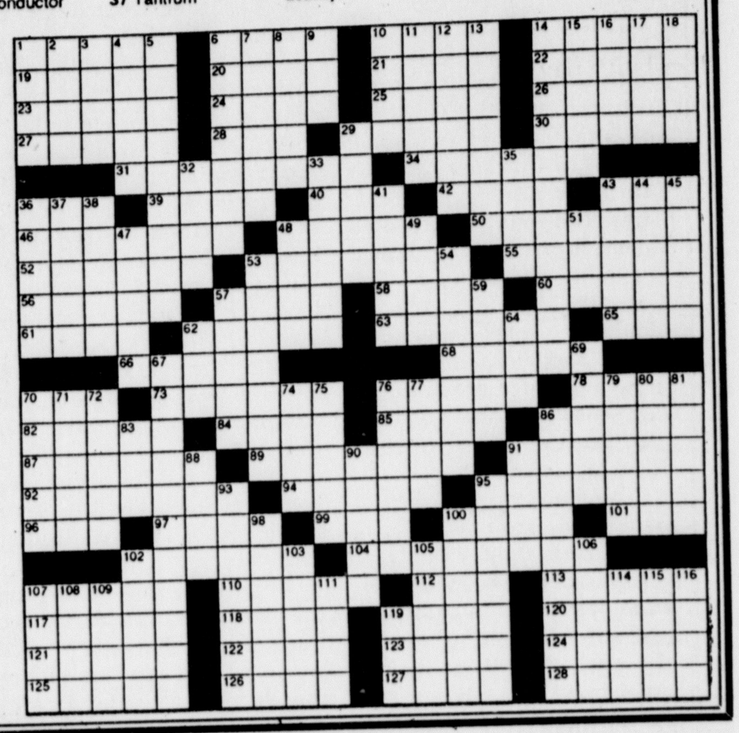
119 Do Little work



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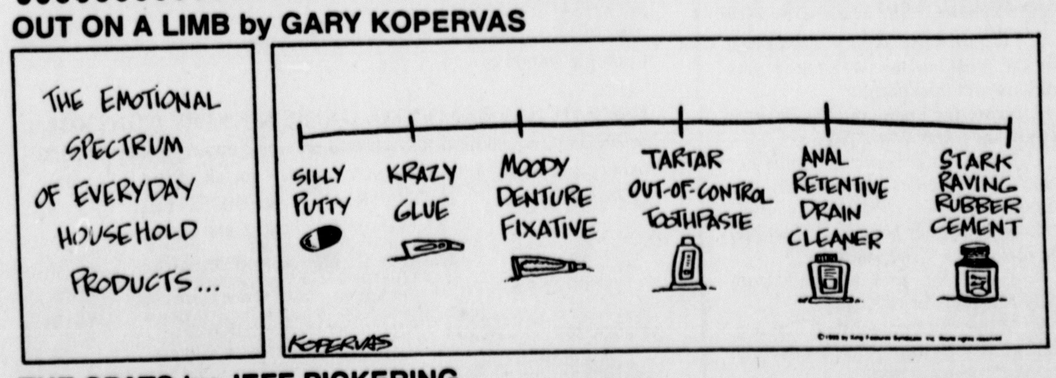

THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING

OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

Observations

Our own Sen. K. Maurice Johannessen, a Republican state senator, is among the lawmakers who says he will turn down a recent legislative pay raise approved by a state commission following state logic.

Johannessen said he will donate his salary increase to local charities.

Is California upset enough about this salary increase -- this time -- to do something about the system?

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Congratulations to Dave Farmer and Paul Zolnikov for throwing their hats into the ring for the June election of a partial-term school board member.

The winner will either serve six months and step down, or face another election all too quickly in November. It takes a little extra gumption to jump into an election for such a reduced prize as this half-year term.

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Hope springs eternal --

Although the city council voted to go with the current plan for widening 5th Street, and remove the large oak trees near it, the issue is not dead. There are those who still feel the trees can be saved, and at least one local woman hasn't given up lobbying for that goal.

Right or wrong, successful or not, that's the spirit of community service. West Sacramento could use some more folks like that.

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Letters to the Editor

Interchange problem

An open letter to the West Sacramento City Council:

Re: Harbor Blvd./U.S. 50 Interchange

On April 4, 1998, I received notice of this Council-meeting and the attached signatures were obtained, opposing the cul-de-sac proposed on Evergreen Avenue at Coke Street.

We, the property owners and residents of Evergreen Avenue, east of the proposed cul-de-sac, were not given proper notice.

NONE OF US: Woodrow Wilson Manor, Sikh Temple, Pecan Court, Greenbriar Apts. Harbor Village, as well as fourplexes and single family homes on Evergreen east -- or the artery streets: Orchard, Hickory, Briarwood, Oakmont (Somerset Nursing Center), and the artery street, to West Capitol Ave., Walnut Avenue,...NONE...were notified of the Harbor/U.S. 50 project and the planned cul-de-sac across Evergreen Avenue.

I question the Concept Approval Report.

The purpose of the proposed cul-de-sac is stated to be necessary to lessen traffic at the intersection of Evergreen and Harbor.

However, when the Engineering Department was asked about the Texaco Gasoline Station to be constructed at Evergreen Avenue and Harbor Blvd...and the ensuing traffic generated by it and thereby defeating the purpose of the proposed cul-de-sac, Cameron Beebe and Steve Patek replied: "The cul-de-sac is to separate 'business from residential'." This is nowhere stated in CAR. This is not the concept related in the Concept Approval Report.

Furthermore, there is no provision in CAR for accommodating traffic from Evergreen Avenue, through Walnut Avenue, or the impact on the trailer court.

Those living and employed in the vicinity and those of us whose businesses will be damaged as a result of this proposed cul-de-sac, should be considered.

We respectfully request that you allow us to voice alternatives to the cul-de-sac that might be acceptable to all of us.

Thank you.

ANGELA DAVIS
West Sacramento

More on Harbor Blvd.

Having watched most of the April 8 West Sac City Council meeting, it sounds like they're ready to move ahead with a plan for widening Harbor Blvd. That includes "cul de sac'ing," or dead-ending Evergreen Ave. westbound at Harbor Blvd. No longer would we have the 4-way signals with left turn lanes, so it sounds like we would block off both ends of Evergreen to widen Harbor...creating one problem to ease another?

At no point in the discussion did anyone suggest the Harbor-over-Business 80/U.S. 50 bridge be lengthened as well as widened. Who benefits mostly from present proposal? Mostly those whose land holdings would become worth much more from the widening. Losers would be those whose businesses would be figuratively or literally wiped out and the driving public wanting access across Harbor Blvd. on Evergreen Ave. (And, yes; several of these to-be-affected businesses should have known of proposed widening.) So if widening Harbor Blvd. south of West Capitol is a must, why can't plans include lengthening northward bridge so that it still comes across/provides access to/from U.S. 50/Bus. 80, but also allow Evergreen Ave. to "underpass" Harbor Blvd.? While we would still lose the interchange feature of Harbor and Evergreen, this would retain many of the present advantages of access from one side of Harbor Blvd. to the other, not the least of which includes retaining access to the various shopping entities by seniors living on Evergreen Ave.

Too bad we can't improve present structure and put in another bridge across Bus. 80/U.S. 50 about halfway between Harbor Blvd. and the Yolo Causeway...seems like that's closer to where the increased demand will be...and research would probably show the cost-benefit ratio to be more favorable for not only the new bridge, but the long-term benefits like fewer miles traveled saves not only fuel costs but would result in less smog/noise. And the new bridge would reduce traffic on the Harbor Blvd., de-necessitating need for major improvements, but we must still repair and improve bumps and dips in road before accidents happen!

Finally, since we're talking about "Cal-Trans-led/approved work," when will we bring up to par that underpass on West Capitol Ave. just west of 5th Street? Since (I was told) that was "too small of a project to get anyone to bid on," include it in our next major bridge project. Buses should have access once again.

WILLIAM A. LOWELL
West Sacramento

Newport & farmland

Yesterday I listened to the tape of the 4/2/98 Planning Commission Meeting, since I wasn't able to attend. The Newport Estates subdivision map was before the Commission for approval, and we neighbors here in Southport who are severely impacted are very concerned.

As I listened to "the facts" presented by the Planning Staff, I seemed to remember them so much differently. For instance, when it was said that the Southport Framework Plan (which determines the course of roadways) was accepted in 1995, we all had an opportunity to participate. That's correct, but only a half-truth. I remember being reassured by the Staff at that time that the course of the roadways was only generally drawn and would be adjusted to respect already developed properties -- our homes and farms. In past meetings with the City, we residents were assured of quality urban development, including green belts to mitigate noise and air pollution. There are no green belts in Newport Estates. The "facts" presented by the Staff are colored-truths and half-truths. The interests of West Sacramento residents in Southport who own small properties are being sacrificed by this City who is working hand-in-hand with large corporate development interests for their own profits.

Following is (an excerpt from) a letter sent to all the Commissioners prior to the meeting, which was not read at the meeting. I'd like to print an excerpt here for the sake of public input:

"I request that the Commission deny approval of the subject subdivision map at this time for the following reasons:

"West Sacramento residents, specifically those of the 'Northeast Village,' have only recently been informed of this map, and it is exclusive of their input. At this date, my information is limited, and I will confine this letter to preliminary comments regarding the major thoroughfares.

"There are less than ten home-steads and farm-steads in the 'Northeast Village' comprising a small percentage of the total acreage. There is ample space for major thoroughfares to lie on those properties which are not yet developed, and rightfully so, since it is the development of these properties that necessitates the new roads. The projected continuance, to the south, of Southport Parkway will set the future course of this road with significant negative impacts tantamount to condemnation of use of the Yokoyama and Virdee farms. Three generations of the Yokoyama family derive their income from the Yokoyama farm. These roadways, as designed, will deprive them of this income until relocated and in production again; the impacts are much greater than the specific acreage lost for road right-of-ways. The impacts on the Virdee farm will also be devastating. The Virdee parcel as drawn on the subject map is incorrect; it is 3.1 acres, 270' wide (E-W), and will be in production of specialty crops.

"Both Southport Parkway and Sutterville Parkway dead end, and will not provide safe emergency ingress and egress to the Newport Estates residents. These thoroughfares should intersect (on Seecom property) to allow for evacuation toward the west. The uncertainty of future development dictates that each project have safeguards in place as it is built.

"I request that you place a priority on the interests of your constituents and provide time for resident input and review of these and other important issues which will have a significant and lasting impact."

The decision on the Newport subdivision was postponed until the May 7 meeting. I encourage all of you who support self-determination and respect for local property owners to show up and be counted on May 7, City Hall, 6 p.m.

DIANE K. VIRDEE
West Sacramento

Suicide Prevention event

Thanks for your effort in publicizing our first ever dinner theater fundraiser, it was a success! Funds raised will benefit Allied Services for Kids (ASK), a collaborative program between the Yolo Family Service Agency and Suicide Prevention of Yolo County. Guests and donations came from all parts of Yolo County.

We want to thank the following underwriters whose monetary donations made this event possible: Martin Mariani, Mariani Nut Company, Winters; Dorothy Vickery of Winters; Roger Henley, Henley & Co., West Sacramento; Pam Marrone, AgraQuest, Inc., Davis; and Virginia Thigpen, Ridge Builders Group, Davis.

Nearly 140 people attended the March 21 event that began with a chicken cacciatore dinner prepared by Woodland attorney Roger Hahn and by Dean and Janice Labadie who own Strelitzia Flowers. Thank you to the eleven students from the Davis High School Key Club who have up a free Saturday night to serve the dinner guests. They each received free video rental coupons from Stonegate Coffee and Video.

We are grateful for additional donations. The Village Bakery in Davis provided flavorful breads, Woodland Nugget Market donated vegetables, Hunt-Wesson Foods in Davis donated tomato products, and the Buckhorn Restaurant in Winters gave the salad and also a gift certificate for a door prize. Longs Drug Store East in Davis provided salad dressing and soft drinks while Ray's Food Place in Davis, R.H. Phillips in Esparto and Winters Winery donated wine. Tom Wells, the Flower Chef of Davis, created lovely centerpieces and a luxury gift basket. B&B Party Rentals of Woodland gave dessert plates and napkins, and UCD Marriott Food Service loaned dinnerware and linens. Other donors of door prizes were Barbi's Beauty Barn, Winters and Lamppost Pizza, Davis locations.

The Winters Theatre Group under the direction of Howard Hupe presented the romantic comedy, *Sylvia*, which was rewarded with much applause and laughter. A delicious sheet cake from Steve Casselli of Lester Farms Bakery in Winters was served at intermission. So, it was a pleasurable evening for a good cause!

Marti Hill, a board member for the Family Service Agency, coordinated the dinner theatre event. We thank her for her enthusiasm and leadership for this collaborative effort. With volunteers and such strong community support, our two non-profit agencies can continue to provide Allied Services for Kids.

WENDY SEPPI LIGHT
SPYC Board Member
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Suicide Prevention Yolo County

Measure J

Is Measure J on the June ballot, which proposes to consolidate elected offices under an appointed director of finance, justified? The Board of Supervisors says this measure is justified by savings as a result of planned technological improvements. A recent article in the March 26, 1998 Wall Street Journal headlined "States Sour on Computer Consultants as Costs Swell" indicates just the opposite. The proposed expenditure of $380,000 to fill six new positions in the counties new Information Technology Division seems like an inordinate amount of money for management and staff positions. It doesn't even take into account the cost of required hardware and software to implement the proposed Yolo County Intranet/Internet network. What will the return to county taxpayers be once this outlay has been made? The Journal article pointed to situations where state systems designed to improve and automate services, have become plagued by on-going problems that are difficult to fix.

States argue that hiring consultants is necessary due to the highly technical and complex nature of these systems, however, glitches still seem to creep in and prevent these systems from operating as promised, despite all the high priced help. After spending a large amount of money for a highly technical system that may be plagued by ongoing problems, will Yolo County end up in a similar situation?

The county seems ready to jump onto the Internet bandwagon at considerable cost to the taxpayers, and at the expense of the taxpayers right to choose their elected officials. Are we ready for this? Supervisor Stallard states "We are on the road to an important place." Will this be the same place the states find themselves, as pointed out in the Wall Street Journal?

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"Sound Off!" comments should be very brief. They may be phoned in to 371-8055, and deadline is Monday. Please note that for reasons of fairness, and because of the anonymous nature of the "Sound Off!" comment line, subject matter is restricted. No criticisms or political campaigning in "Sound Off!," please, although that kind of subject matter may be appropriate for signed letters to the editor. Comments may be edited for length or objectionable content.

Raider tennis has another good week

From River City High School

With the overall match score tied at four, it was up to a pair of River City High School sophomores to finish off the host Vanden Vikings in last week's tennis contest. Prak Pich and Sisavat Phouanglasy won a thrilling 7-6(7-5), 7-5 match at #2 boys doubles and the Raiders improved to 13-1 overall this year. It wasn't the only nail-biter however, as #2 boys singles player Sarom Phoung and the #1 boys doubles team of Aaron Potnick and Khampheng Insixiengmay both won tough three set matches, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4, and 3-6, 6-0, 7-5, respectively. The other wins came from the usual sources -- undefeated girls singles players Douangchanh Lattasima (6-4, 6-4) and Aenoy Xayasone (6-0, 6-1).

Earlier in the week, the Raiders hosted Dixon and polished off the Rams 8 to 1. Lattasima and Xayasone did not give up a single game, Phoung and Jeff Wright allowed only eight between them in their two singles matches, and the girls doubles teams of Loan Nguyen and Khonesavanh Lattasima (#1) and Sue Yang and Sokpin Phoung (#2) won by a combined 20 games to 3.

In the week ahead, the Raiders host defending Mother Lode League co-champion Amador today at 3:30 p.m., travel up to GEL rival Colfax on Friday to complete the suspended match from March 26th (RC leads 4 to 1), and play at Lindhurst next Tuesday.

Bears signups —

The West Sac Bears Youth Football and Cheerleaders will be holding signups on Saturday, April 25, from 2 to 4 p.m. at River City High School, 1100 Clarendon Street in West Sacramento in the staff lounge, behind the cafeteria.

The 1998 registration fee is $100 per child, plus a refundable $25 work deposit. Prior to June 1, 1998, the Bears will be offering a discount of $25 for early registration (child registered must be paid in full by 6/1/98 to receive discount). After June 1, 1998, there will be a $25 discount for the second child (and so on) registered from the same family (immediate family only).

For information, call Jamie Copelin at 371-6688, Jerry Harris at 372-8681, or Leslie Pruitt at 373-9466.

In local government

The April 15 **West Sacramento City Council** meeting which was going to be held at Westfield School will be held in the city council chambers at 2101 Stone Blvd. The new date selected by the council to have the meeting at the school is May 13. Final confirmation will be available closer to that meeting date.

A meeting of the **West Sacramento Planning Commission** will take place on April 16 at 6 p.m. in city council chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd. Agenda items are as follows:

Zoning administrator actions.

Continued consideration of a request for approval of a drive-thru service window in conjunction with three Quick Service Restaurants planned for the Exxon Travel Center.

A public hearing on various requests relating to the approved Pheasant Hollow subdivision which, if granted, will result in the construction of 50 single family residential lots on eight acres currently zoned for commercial use.

Informal discussion.

A meeting of the **West Sacramento City Council** is scheduled to take place tonight at 7 p.m. in council chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd. Agenda items include the following:

Presentation of proclamation naming May 3-9 as "Hire-A-Veteran" week.

Consideration of resolution accepting Chevron Corporation's sponsorship of an oil firefighting school.

Consideration of resolution supporting the California Healthy Cities project.

Consideration of an indemnity agreement with Walgreens to use the southeast corner of West Capitol Ave. and Jefferson Blvd. to conduct a Peddler's Fair on May 2.

Consideration of sale of a shared equity property at 1396 Somerset to qualified buyer, reconveyance of silent second held by initial borrower and issuance of a new second to the identified buyers for $29,050.

Consideration of a loan to the West Sacramento Housing Development Corporation for the acquisition of 840 Pecan Street and appropriation of $75,000 from redevelopment tax increment.

Consideration of a contract with Giannelli, Jarrette and Filipiak for appraisal services.

And other items of consideration.

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doll created in her likeness that will be displayed in school dress with desk and assessories.

Kirsten, a pioneer girl of strength, Addy, a proud, courageous girl determined to be free and Felicity, a spunky, spritely colonial girl will displayed during this program.

Our second program requests the pleasure of your company on Thursday, April 23 from 7 to 8 p.m. at a tea. Samantha, a bright Victorian beauty will be discussed this evening. All of the dolls will be on display this evening.

This program is sponsored by the East Yolo Friends of the Library, who have generously brought the American Girls Realia to our library.

The library is located at 1212 Merkley Ave. in West Sacramento. For more information please call 375-6465.

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community which is continuing to grow. "When I was in grade school," recalled Rishi, "I was one of only two Indians in the entire school. But this year, more than six percent of River City's students are Indian. Although I'm lucky enough to have friends of all colors and religions, it's nice to also have friends who are familiar with Indian culture going to the same school. Everyone gets along very well at River City, and I've really enjoyed growing up in West Sacramento."

Rishi is currently ranked second in his graduating class with a 4.216 grade point average. He has received college acceptance letters from the University of California, Davis, the University of California, Los Angeles, and the University of California, Berkeley.

Rishi plans on attending Cal Berkeley in the fall.

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dining room door. The taller suspect pointed a black semiautomatic handgun at an employee's chest and told him to give the suspects the money. Following the robbery, the pair fled on "lowrider" style bikes.

The suspects were described as black, approximately 15-16 years old and wearing black clothing.

The suspects are believed to frequent the Village Garden Apartments, 900 Todhunter Ave.

Anyone with information is asked to call the West Sacramento Police Dept., 372-2461.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Apr 1, 1998
File No. 98-214

The following persons are doing business as TGI Water & Air Treatment, 1072 Leake Circle, Woodland, CA 95776:

Richard C. Tell, 1072 Leake Circle, Woodland, CA 95776.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/30/98.

/s/Richard C. Tell

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Apr 1, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 20, 1998
File No. 98-187

The following person is doing business as Community Sports News, 2092 Alta Loma, Davis, CA 95616:

Fereidun Feizollahi, same address.

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/s/Fereidun Feizollahi

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Mar 20, 1998
by: /s/Natalie Dornback-Angelman, Deputy Clerk

Ap 15 22 29 May 6

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 30, 1998
File No. 98-205

The following person is doing business as Amin Consulting; Culinary Values, 2112 Baywood Lane, Davis, CA 95616:

Anant Amin and Sangeeta Patel-Amin, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/30/98.

/s/Anant Amin

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Mar 30, 1998
by: /s/Anant N. Amin, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 30, 1998
File No. 98-206

The following persons are doing business as B.J. Vending Services, 2796 Costa Ct., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Bobbie Jean Ballance, same address.

This business is conducted by an individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/30/98.

/s/Bobbie Jean Ballance

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Mar 30, 1998
by: /s/Anant N. Amin, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 5, 1998
File No. 98-146

The following person is doing business as Harper Express, 1585 Parkway Blvd. #A, W. Sac 95691 :

Jeff James, 3201 Pepperidge Dr., Antelope, CA 95843; Mike Ausmus, 690 Belasco Ave., Sacramento, CA 95815.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 5, 1998.

/s/Jeff James
/s/Mike Ausmus

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: March 5, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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TS No.: 97-0774-1060 Loan No.: 001520683 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 3/20/92 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 4/29/98 at 12:00 PM, LONESTAR MORTGAGEE SERVICES, L.L.C., as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 3/30/92, as Instrument No.09644, in book 2329, page 434, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of California. Executed by KATHERINE DE PAUW , A MARRIED WOMAN WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH/OR CASHIER'S CHECK (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the main entrance to the City Hall at 2101 Stone Blvd., West Sacramento, CA. (NOTE: CASHIER'S CHECK(S) MUST BE MADE PAYABLE TO LONESTAR MORTGAGEE SERVICES, L.L.C. all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: 'As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust' APN #045-462-27 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2862 LESLIE LANE WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 96691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $122,376.86. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. Date: April 01, 1998 LONESTAR MORTGAGEE SERVICES, L.L.C., as Trustee Sylvia Loredo, Authorized Signature Address: P.O. Box 515388, Dallas, Texas 75251-5388 FOR TRUSTEE'S SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL (916) 974-6099 LONESTAR MORTGAGEE SERVICES, L.L.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NPP43948 PUB: 04/08/98 04/15/98 04/22/98

T.S. No. F-16226-MR Loan No. 50497446/HALE-VA A.P. No. 008-322-22 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED July 23, 1993 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A STATEMENT OF LEGAL RIGHTS FOLLOWS THE END OF THIS NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that QUALITY LOAN SERVICE CORP., as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by KEITH ALLEN HALE HUSBAND AND SUZETTE JEAN HALE WIFE, and recorded on 8/3/93 as Instrument No. 024571 , in Book 2523 , Page 734 of Official records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, CALIFORNIA, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded 9/16/96 as Instrument No. 9622656 of said Official Records, WILL SELL on 5/6/98 at 11:00 AM, ON THE MAIN STEPS OF THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 725 COURT STREET, WOODLAND, CA AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described as: LOT 27, BLOCK 17, AMENDED MAP OF WESTFIELD VILLAGE UNIT THREE, FILED JUNE 10,1952,IN BOOK 4,OF MAPS,PAGE 44,YOLO COUNTY RECORDS. The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 423 MCKINLEY WAY WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691-2537 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: $129,962.60 In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a sate or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal balance of the Note secured by said Deed with interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. WE ARE ASSISTING THE BENEFICIARY TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE BY EITHER OURSELVES OR THE BENEFICIARY, WHETHER RECEIVED ORALLY OR IN WRITING. Dated: April 03, 1998 Quality Loan Service Corp., as said Trustee 1650 East Fourth Street, Second Floor Santa Ana, CA 92701 (714) 285-9962 for Sale Information (714) 558-0488 Non Sale Information Only Martha Romero, Sr. Trustee's Sale Officer QPP 31275 4/15, 4/22, 4/29/98

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED February 3, 1993. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST Loan #: 129010208/Delzer Other #: F114249 T.S. #: FNH051087 A.P. #: 08-132-17 Notice is hereby given that Standard Trust Deed Service Company as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Patti L. Delzer, a single woman Recorded on 02/10/1993 as Instrument # 004539 in Book 2453 Page 668 of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder Recorded on 12/26/1997 as Instrument # 97-0031476-00 of said Official Records, will Sell on 04/22/1998 At the main entrance to the City Hall, 2101 Stone Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA at 4:00 P.M. at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title, and interest, conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described: Pursuant to Section 9501 (4) (A) (II) of the California Uniform Commercial Code, California Federal Bank, Successor by Merger to First Nationwide Bank, Successor by Merger to San Francisco Federal Savings and Loan Association, the beneficiary under said Deed of Trust, has elected and instructed the Trustee to include the personal property described in Exhibit "A" in the nonjudicial foreclosure of the real property described above to the Trustee's Sale, in accordance with the procedures applicable to real property. A portion of Lots 151 and 152, Little Poultry Farms, filed November 10, 1926 in Book 3 of Maps, Page 57, Yolo County Records, described as follows: Commencing on the Westerly line of Lot 151, distant thereon 55.69 feet Southerly from the Northwest corner of said Lot, and extending thence Southerly along said Westerly line a distance of 55.69 feet; thence Easterly parallel with the Southern line of said Lot 151, a distance of 257.00 feet to a point on the Easterly line of Lot 152; thence Northerly along said line and along the Easterly line of Lot 151, a distance of 55.69 feet; thence Westerly parallel with the Northerly line of said Lot 151, a distance of 257.00 feet to the point of commencement. Exhibit A Personal Property Description All of Trustor's estate, right, title and interest in, to and under any of the personal property and fixtures in, on, upon, relating to or arising out of the real property described in the foregoing Notice of Trustee's Sale. Together with all buildings, improvements and tenements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all heretofore or hereafter vacated alleys and streets abutting the property, and all easements, rights, appurtenances, rents (subject however to the assignment of rents to lender herein), royalties, mineral, oil and gas rights and profits, water, water rights, and water stock appurtenant to the property, and all fixtures, machinery, equipment, engines, boilers, incinerators, building materials, appliances and goods of every nature whatsoever now or hereafter located in, or on, or used, or intended to be used in connection with the property, including, but not limited to, those for the purposes of supplying or distributing heating, cooling, electricity, gas, water, air and light; and all elevators, and related machinery and equipment, fire prevention and extinguishing apparatus, security and access control apparatus, plumbing, bath tubs, water heaters, water closets, sinks, ranges, stoves, refrigerators, dishwaters, disposals, washers, dryers, awnings, storm windows, storm doors, screens, blinds, shades, curtains and curtain rods, mirrors cabinets, panelling, rugs, attached floor coverings, furniture, pictures, antennas, pools and spas and spa operation and maintenance equipment and apparatus, communications systems and all installations in which any such building is specially designed, and trees and plants; all of which, including replacements and additions thereto, shall be deemed to be and remain a part of the real property covered by this instrument; and all of the foregoing, together with said property (or the leasehold estate in the event this instrument is on a leasehold) are herein referred to as the property; all interest of borrower in (1) other tangible personal property of any nature whatsoever (A) located in or upon the real property and (2) intangible personal property relating to the development, use or operation of the real property including, but not limited to, all inventories, accounts, accounts receivable, contract rights, chattel paper, leases (subject, however, to the assignment of rents to lender herein), instruments, deposits, monies due and to become due (including guaranties and security for the payment of same) and all proceeds, benefits and claims arising as a result of loss in value of the property or damage to any improvements therein or thereupon (including, but not limited to, insurance proceeds, awards for condemnation and causes of action against third person or entities). The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 617 Maple Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: $132,102.25 In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or encumbrances or physical condition, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal of the note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. We are attempting to collect a debt and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. For Trustee's Sale information please call (925) 603-7342. Dated: 03/27/1998 Standard Trust Deed Service Company, as said Trustee 2600 Stanwell Drive, Suite 200, Concord, CA 94520, (925) 603-1000. By: Debbie Jackson Assistant Secretary RSVP 18594 04/01/98, 04/08/98, 04/15/98

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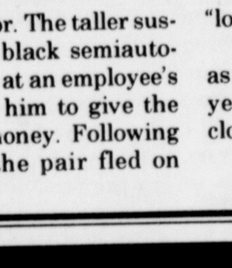
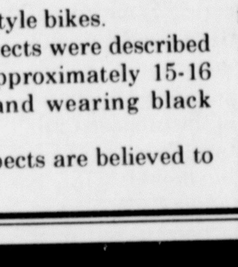
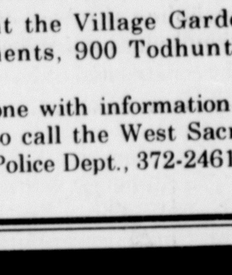

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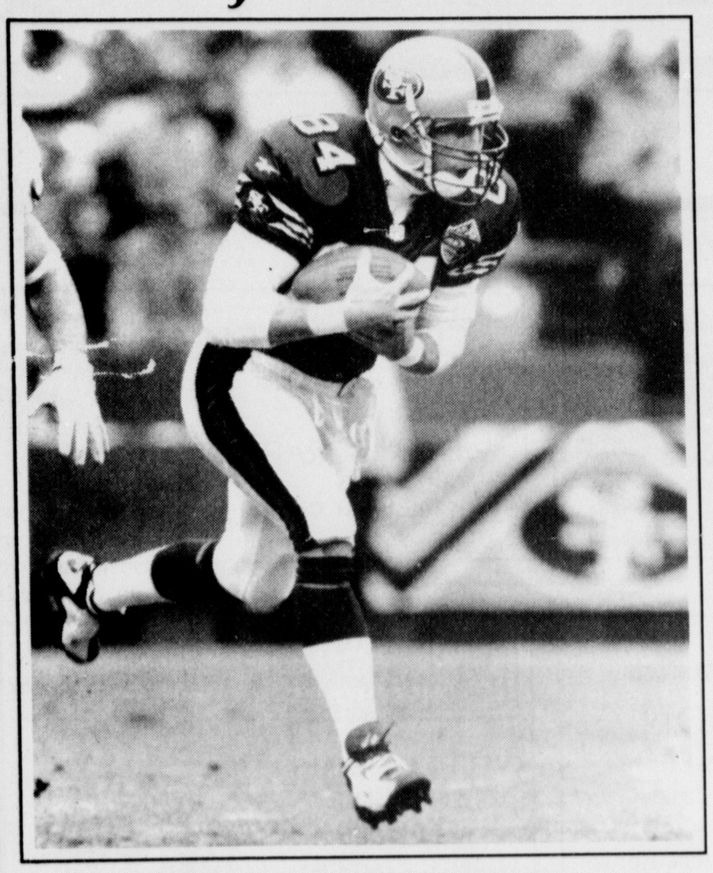
Brent Jones heads to West Sacramento



BRENT JONES, retired 49er star

From Second Mile

Well, this much we can be sure of: If Brent Jones mangles a knee this time, he'll probably have to do it falling out of a hammock.

When last we saw our favorite 49er, the four-time Pro Bowler was planning to go AWOL from training camp in August and attend a fundraising luncheon for the Second Mile Teen Center in West Sacramento. That grand plan went down the tubes when Brent busted up his knee just 24 hours before said luncheon.

Now he's officially an ex-49er, having announced that the 1997 season was his last. And that makes us feel a little better about his presence at the S'Mile Builder Banquet, now scheduled for May 9 at Our Lady of Grace auditorium, at 6:30 p.m.

"I'm really looking forward to it," Brent said recently. "I felt bad about having to cancel before, but we'll get it done this time."

Jones will be the keynote speaker at the S'Mile Builder Banquet, and he'll also be available to chat and sign autographs afterward. In addition, there will be raffles and auctions of various 49er merchandise. Perhaps the most attractive auction item will be a simple chair -- the one next to Jones at the head table, where one lucky fan can eat dinner with the 49er legend.

The banquet will also include a highlight film of Brent's career, compiled by KOVR sports director John Henke and his crew, and tri-tip steak dinners provided by West Sacramento's own Outdoor BBQ. Dinner will be served by teams of West Sacramento Rotarians and teenagers from the Second Mile Club -- which, when you think about it, should be entertaining all by itself.

A lot has happened since the original S'Mile Builder was postponed nine months ago. In that time, Jones has played one 12th and final NFL season, suffered one final playoff loss to Green Bay, politely declined overtures from Newt Gingrich and other Republicans who wanted him to run for Congress, and donned a CBS Sports blazer as a studio analyst on the network's "NFL Today" show.

It's been an active time, too, for the Second Mile folks -- a group of community leaders and citizens who are working toward the inception of a six-day-a-week teen center for West Sacramento high schoolers. Sponsored by the global youth organization Campus Life, volunteers have launched the weekly Second Mile Club for local teenagers and staged activities like the Post-Pigskin Pizza Pigouts in the fall, the Thatsa Buncha Bowl! event in February, and the Second Mile Food Olympics in March.

All proceeds from the S'Mile Builder Banquet will go toward the inception of the teen center. Cost for the banquet is $25 in advance and $30 at the door, with tables of eight available for the discount price of $160 (or $20 a seat). Tickets can be purchased at La Bou, 849 Jefferson Blvd.; at Baker's Square, 1235 Harbor Blvd.; or at the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce, 1414 Merkley.

Second Mile volunteers are also happy to mail out ticket information. Call 375-1153.

Police Log

An officer arrested an 18-year old West Sacramento woman for knowingly allowing another person to use her ATM card, and personal identification number to process forged/counterfeit checks. The total loss to the victim was between $3,652 and $7,312.

April 12, 10:56 a.m.

A man challenged a supermarket employee to fight over a case involving the man's daughter.

April 12, 11:21 a.m.

An officer contacted a woman at West Capitol Ave. and Pecan St., and noticed she was drinking gin out of her coffee mug. She was cited and released.

April 12, 3:40 p.m.

Two officers responded to a burglary in progress. A vehicle was parked in front of a West Capitol Ave. business and as officers arrived one person, identified as an employee of the business, emerged from the building with another. The owner arrived and indicated that the employee had been terminated about four months ago. While the building was being searched, the suspects apparently got away. Stolen items were recovered from the vehicle.

April 12, 6:20 p.m.

An officer responded to a noise control problem on Fremont Blvd. When the officer arrived, there was no excess noise, but the person who called said that her neighbor had had his garage stereo on loud enough to shake the windows, and then turned it down every time she called police and they arrived. The officer explained the citizen's arrest process, and the caller signed the appropriate forms. The suspect was cited and released.

April 13, 2:45 p.m.

An officer was notified by another that a felony suspect was at home at a West Capitol Ave. address. The 37-year old suspect was located and arrested.

April 13, 8:20 p.m.

Two suspects were in a verbal argument on West Capitol Ave. They agreed to separate, but one -- behaving aggressively and smelling of alcohol -- returned to confront the other. The 38-year old, combative man was arrested.

April 14, 3:18 a.m.

A 38-year old Sacramento man was found unconscious on Evergreen Ave., due to suspected drug use. He was revived and cited and released to an ambulance crew.

A night of international jazz to raise funds for Yolo Hospice May 5

If El Nino ruined your New Orleans Mardi Gras this year, don't worry. Yolo Hospice volunteers are packing the Davis Veterans Memorial Center with all the fabulous sights, sounds and savory flavors of the Big Easy including the best of international and local musical entertainment for Friday, May 15.

Jazz Band Ball Orchestra from Krakow, Poland, will make their fourth appearance in Davis for this, the 17th annual Jazz in the Park, Hospice's major fundraiser.

Strongly influenced by classical American jazz, the Polish band has become a local favorite for its hard-driving energy. It is recognized at jazz festivals both here and abroad for its brand of Ellington instrumentation and easy Armstrong trumpet and vocals.

The broad branches of a live oak -- drawn by Hospice volunteers to pay homage to the birthplace of this distinctly American musical creation -- will provide a fitting backdrop for the band's authentic Dixieland renderings.

According to Clarksburg JIP chair, Patty Merwin, the good times will roll at 5 p.m. when the canopied doors open to Chef Mark Scribner's -- of Paesanos Pizzeria, Sacramento -- buffet dinner inspired by New Orleans Creole cooking.

Dinner/concert tickets ($25) are limited and should be purchased in advance. Concert-only tickets for $15 will be available at the door.

Tickets are available from the Yolo Hospice office at Mansion Square and Carousel Stationery in Davis; in Woodland, at the Yolo Hospice Thrift Store; and at Strelitzia Flowers in both Woodland and Davis.

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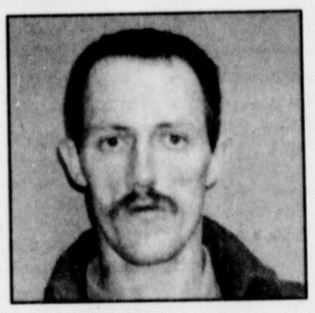
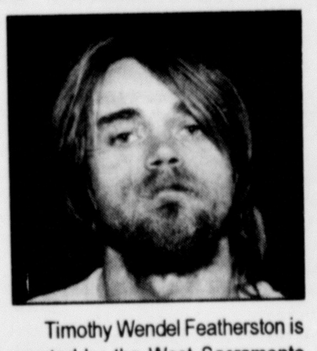


Joel McConnell is wanted by the Woodland Parole Office and the West Sacramento Police Department for failing to report to the Woodland Parole Office. McConnell, a 36-year-old male with brown hair and eyes, stands 5'8" and weighs 140 pounds. He is believed to be in the West Capitol Avenue or Broderick area of West Sacramento. *Caution: McConnell should be considered armed and extremely dangerous. Do not attempt to make contact.*



Timothy Wendel Featherston is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for violation of probation. Featherston, a 28-year-old male with blonde hair and blue eyes, stands 5'6" and weighs 135 pounds. He is believed to be residing in West Sacramento.

Anne Marie Caldeira is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for false personation of another for financial gain. Caldeira, a 32-year-old female with brown hair and eyes, stands 5'3" and weighs 120 pounds. She is believed to be residing in West Sacramento.

Brando Maxine McEntire is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for possession of dangerous drugs. McEntire, a 33-year-old female with black hair and brown eyes, stands 5'11" and weighs 115 pounds. She is believed to be residing in West Sacramento.

If you have information regarding the whereabouts of any of these individuals, please contact the West Sacramento Police Department, Warrants Section, at 372-2461, ext. 226, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you know the immediate location of the person outside of normal business hours, contact West Sacramento Police Department Dispatch at 375-6474.

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File No. 98-192

The following person is doing business as Magellan Computing Services, 955 Cranbrook Ct. #318, Davis, CA 95616:

Hemang Patel, same address.

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/s/Hemang Patel

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by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 18, 1998
File No. 98-179

The following persons are doing business as IVY HI-LIFT, 550 Drever St., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Johnson Scaffolding Company (a California Corporation), 550 Drever St., West Sacramento, CA 95691.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/1/77. Previous fictitious business name number 93-832.

/s/Ronald H. Howard
Vice President
Johnson Scaffolding Company

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar. 12, 1998
File No. 98-156

The following person is doing business as Personal Care Supportive Services, 14 W. Cross St. #55, Woodland, CA 95695:

Brenda J. Hiatt, same address.

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/s/Brenda J. Hiatt

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 16, 1998
File No. 98-172

The following persons are doing business as Star Detailing, 1306 Estaban Ct., Davis, CA 95616:

Wayne Curtis Wilson, same address.

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/s/Wayne Curtis Wilson

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 24, 1998
File No. 98-129

The following person is doing business as Animal Kingdom, 417-E Mace Blvd., Davis, CA 95616:

Adam Gemoets, 2493 Halsey Cir., Davis, CA 95616.

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/s/Adam R. Gemoets

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 26, 1998
File No. 98-199

The following person is doing business as HOEGUY, INC dba Jaspers Giant Hamburgers of Woodland, 1264 E. Gibson Rd., Ste. C-301, Woodland, CA 95776:

HOEGUY, INC, 5318 Kirkland Way, Carmichael, CA 95776.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 1, 1993.

/s/Hanley Ewert, Pres.
HOEGUY, INC

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 25, 1998
File No. 98-195

The following person is doing business as H. Salt Fish & Chips and Harbor Grill, 2915 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Chin Chia Wu and Chun Liu Wu, 8985 Gulfport Way, Sacramento, CA 95826.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/25/98.

/s/Chin Chia Wu

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 19, 1998
File No. 98-181

The following person is doing business as National Directory of Expert Witnesses, 14500 Co. Rd. 82, Capay, CA 95607:

James H. & Mary L. Patterson, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/13/95.

/s/James H. & Mary L. Patterson

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 19, 1997
File No. 98-182

The following person is doing business as Coleman Advisory Services; Oljatobound 98, 2245 Muir Woods Place, Davis, CA 95616-6601:

Michael Coleman, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1 Jan 1997.

/s/Michael Coleman

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO
In the Matter of JOSEPH DANIEL JOHNSON, Minor
No. JR-97-00020
AMENDED CITATION

TO: All Persons Claiming to be the Father of the Minor

YOU ARE HEREBY CITED AND REQUIRED TO APPEAR at a hearing in Yolo County Juvenile Court, located at 238 W. Beamer Street, Woodland, California, 95695, on May 20, 1998, at 10:00 a.m. o'clock. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to permanently terminate your parental rights over the above-named minor child born to Ann Marie Johnson Emsley on January 10, 1997. If you wish to be represented by an attorney and are unable to afford one, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you.

Dated: March 11, 1998
JANENE B. YEATES
Judge/Commissioner of the Juvenile Court
Mar. 25 Ap 1 8 15

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Apr 9, 1998
File No. 98-229

The following persons are doing business as Midtown Partners, 503 3rd Street, Davis, CA 95616:

Jim P. Streng, 502 Mace Blvd., Davis, CA 95616; G. William Streng, 502 Mace Blvd., Davis, CA 95616; Daniel K. Dowling, 503 3rd Street, Davis, CA 95616; Greg McNece, Trustee, Gregory E. McNece Revocable Living Trust, dated July 9, 1996, 2147 Humboldt Ave., Davis, CA 95616.

This business is conducted by Co-Partners. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/16/98.

/s/Greg McNece, Partner

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar. 20, 1998
File No. 98-186

The following person is doing business as Deja Vu Craftworks, 1002 Marston Street, W. Sacto., CA 95605:

Ana Maria Potch, same address.

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/s/Ana Maria Potch

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 12, 1998
File No. 98-161

The following persons are doing business as Premier Realty, 1233 Heathcut Place, El Dorado, CA 95762:

Harold Hutchens, 3630 35th Ave., Oakland, CA 94619.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/20/98.

/s/Harold J. Hutchens

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 12, 1998
File No. 98-160

The following person is doing business as (a) Abbey West Directories, (b) LocalTouch LLP, 2552 Walnut Ave., Tustin, CA 92780:

National Directory Company, a Delaware corporation, 2552 Walnut Avenue, Tustin, CA 92780.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on August 15, 1997.

/s/John Bartlett
Vice President - Finance
National Directory Company

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar. 17, 1998
File No. 98-174

The following person is doing business as Circle A Food Store, 1506 Sacramento Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95605:

Avtar Chand Sidhu, 4623 Ringneck Ct., Sacramento, CA 95848.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/26/98.

/s/Avtar Chand Sidhu

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by: /s/Karen S. Smith, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 5, 1998
File No. 98-143

The following person is doing business as New Age Marketing Enterprises, 2002 Gauguin Place, Davis, CA 95616-0542:

Cliff G. Gamble, same address.

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/s/Cliff Gamble

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 16, 1997
File No. 98-169

The following person is doing business as Javan Texaco Star Mart, 2801 Evergreen Dr., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Jahansir Javanifard, 4115 Crondall Dr., Sacto., CA 95864, a California corporation.

This business is conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 1, 1998.

/s/Jahanshir Javanifard, President
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 19, 1998
File No. 98-180

The following persons are doing business as Master Guard of Sacramento; Master Guard of Northern California, 709 Falcon St., Davis, CA 95616:

Jason Olson; Jennifer Jean Duckworth, 709 Falcon St., Davis, CA 95616.

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/s/Jason Olson
/s/Jennifer Duckworth

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF GLENN H. BARNES
CASE NUMBER: P98000084

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: GLENN H. BARNES; GLENN HOBART BARNES.

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Mary K. Thrasher and Robert G. Barnes in the Superior Court of California, County of Yolo.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Mary K. Thrasher and Robert G. Barnes be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on April 24, 1998, at 8:30 a.m., in Dept. 7, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 725 Court Street, Woodland, CA 95695.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner: /s/Bruce Kaminski
Martinez & Kaminski
1524 Merkley Ave.
West Sacramento, CA 95691
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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JEAN P. BARNES
CASE NUMBER: P98000085

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: JEAN P. BARNES.

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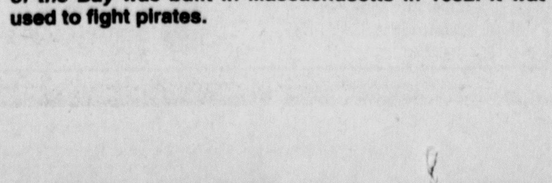

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Woodworking Show

The Sacramento Woodworking Show, May 1, 2 and 3, will feature machinery, power and hand tools, supplies, demonstrations, seminars, free workshops and more, for the woodworking enthusiast, homebuilder/remodeler, woodturner or carver at all levels of expertise -- beginner, advanced or professional. Sacramento Convention Center -- Hall B, 1400 "J" St., Sacramento. For more information, call (800) 826-8257 or (310) 477-8521 (8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Pacific Time).

Job Fair

June graduates will have an early opportunity to explore a wealth of employment opportunities at the Spring Job Expo on Saturday, April 25. The Job Fair will be held at the Sacramento Convention Center, Hall D, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free. Dozens of employers offering a wide range of job opportunities will be present. They include U.S. Bank, Southwest Airlines, Allstate Insurance Company, California Department of Corrections, Century Theaters, Wells Fargo, California Highway Patrol, McDonald's and many more. Free resume evaluations and career advancement seminars will be offered. The Spring Job Expo is a California Job Journal, KCRA Call-3 and Entercom Radio sponsored event. For more information on this event, call (800) 655-JOBS.

Christmas in April

Christmas in April is set for their annual workday on April 25. The Broderick Christian Center and two West Sacramento homes are among the 26 regional projects that will be taken on this year by over 2,500 volunteers. The group is in desperate need of window installers, carpet and linoleum layers, carpenters and electricians for their projects. If you are a skilled laborer and wish to volunteer your time, please contact Steve Rikala at 373-5854.

Cootiette Club

Gold Nugget #1 Cootiette Club is celebrating their 65th anniversary with an open house on Saturday, April 18, between 2 and 4 p.m. at the VFW Post 8762, 905 Drever Street in West Sacramento. The Cootiette Organization was formed by 11 women in Sacramento; it is a volunteer women's organization which works at the VA's for the hospitalized veterans. Refreshments will be served.

Baseball Umpires

Baseball Umpire Clinics is looking for people to train and teach the art of umpiring. Males and females are wanted in several local leagues. $20-$40 per game. Call Greg Houser at 372-6568 for more information.

Volunteer Appreciation

On Thursday, April 23, Somerset Nursing Center will hold volunteer appreciation with guest speaker Wes Beers, Mayor of West Sacramento. The event begins at 2 p.m. There will be a dessert social and entertainment. Call 371-1890 for more information.

Reception for Falzone

Karen Spiess, Betsy Marchand and Susie Boyd will co-host a reception for Assistant County Superintendent Suzanne Falzone, a candidate for Yolo County Superintendent of Schools. The event is set for Thursday, April 16, 5-7 p.m. at the Spiess home, 27251 Fairways Estates in El Macero. A donation of $25/person or $45/couple is requested. For additional information, call 666-2203.

M.E.Ch.A. Meetings

Two meetings of the M.E.Ch.A. Parent Advisory Board are scheduled to take place over the next few months -- May 6, and June 3. Both will take place at River City High School between 7 and 9 p.m., and are open to all concerned citizens, parents, relatives, and students of West Sacramento. Subjects/goals are: Hispanic dropout rate; high school graduation; and advancement to higher education. For more information, please call Mr. McPherson at River City, 375-7800.

College Info Night

Students in the 10th and 11th grades, and their parents, are invited to College Information Night at River City High School on Wednesday, April 15, between 6 and 8 p.m. in the library. Topics include: college entrance information; cost/tuition; college planning and important dates. There will be representatives from: Community Colleges; California State University; University of California; and private colleges/universities. For information, please call 375-7800.

Demo Club Meeting

The West Sacramento Democratic Club's April 21 meeting will feature "Candidates and Issues Night" at 7 p.m. at the Turner Library, 1212 Merkley Ave., West Sacramento. Democratic candidates for office have been invited to speak. Also, there will be discussion on some of the ballot props., including 226 on union political contributions and 227 on bilingual education. The public is cordially invited. Come and be informed! Primary elections will be June 2.

Golden Years Club

The Golden Years Club of West Sacramento is sponsoring a Pancake Breakfast scheduled for Sunday, April 26 at the VFW Hall on 905 Drever Street between 8 a.m. and 12 p.m. Cost is $3.50 for adults, and $2 for children under 10. The public is invited. Bring your neighbors and friends. Persons 50 years and over are invited to join the club. Membership dues are $3 per year. A monthly meeting is held at 1 p.m. on the first Monday of each month. Also, a monthly pot luck dinner is held on the third Tuesday. Please contact Dorothy Williams, 371-6139, for membership information.

W.U.S.D. Reunion

A reminder was issued this week for all retired employees and former employees of the Washington Unified School District to attend the 13th annual reunion on Sunday, May 17, at the West Sacramento VFW Hall on 905 Drever Street, beginning at 2 p.m. For information, call Vivian Cecchettini at 371-8516 or Barbara Leach at 371-8973.

Southport Elementary Registration

Registration for students attending Southport Elementary School, grades 1 through 5, will be on Saturday, April 18, at the Evergreen Elementary School cafeteria, 919 West Acres Road. Doors will open at 8 a.m. and close at 12 p.m. Please bring your registration packet with you and a copy of your latest P.G. & E. bill. Any questions please call Mrs. Smith, Principal, at 375-7600, ext. 2259.

G.S.M.S. Open House

All interested parents and community members are invited to Golden State Middle School's Open House. This year's Open House will be held on Tuesday evening, April 28, beginning at 7 p.m. and lasting until 8:30 p.m. Teachers are planning exciting classroom activities. There will be door prizes awarded throughout the evening to those attending the 7 p.m. opening session in the cafeteria.

Poetry Month

Poets and poetry are celebrated in April's National Poetry Month. The Arthur F. Turner Branch Library is displaying examples of several types of poetry. Those who think of poetry as that dull, flowery stuff may be pleasantly surprised at the poems of cowboy poets Wallace (Wally) McRae and Baxter Black of Shel Silverstein, the writer of children's poetry to name just a few examples. The library also has the romantic, flowery poetry for those who enjoy the more traditional verses of Elizabeth Barrett Browning and others.

Felley Fundraiser

You are cordially invited to a special evening with former West Sacramento resident and 1967 James Marshall graduate, Sandee Coy Felley, a candidate for the State Assembly. The event will take place on Thursday, April 30, between 6 and 9 p.m. at Club Pheasant, located at 2525 Jefferson Blvd. in West Sacramento. There will be hors d'oeuvres and a no-host bar. Cost is $35 per person and $60 per couple. For more information, please call 371-7280.

Book Sale

The spring book sale sponsored by the East Yolo Friends of the Library will be held on May 2 and 3. Saturday hours are from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday hours are from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday is bargain day -- books not sold on Saturday will be sold on Sunday for $1 per grocery bagful. The sale will be held in the community room of the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library at 1212 Merkley Avenue in West Sacramento. Donations of gently used book and magazines are accepted at the library year-round. Proceeds from the sales are used to support children's programs, leased books, the public typewriters and PC, and the audio and video collections.

Donor Awareness

Life and second chances will be celebrated at the Fifth Annual Share Your Life 5K Fun Run/Walk, as organ and tissue transplant recipients, candidates for transplants, and donor families from across Northern California, join hundreds of others Saturday morning, April 18, inside Sacramento's William Land Park at Freeport and Sutterville (registration: 8:30 a.m.; tree-planting ceremony: 9:30 a.m.; race begins at 10 a.m.). The fun run, held by Golden State Donor Services and Sierra Eye and Tissue Donor Services, is designed to increase the public's awareness of the critical need for organ and tissue donors.

Beautification Week

It's that time of year again. The City of West Sacramento's Spring Beautification Week is going to be held the week of April 20-25. West Sacramento residents are invited to dispose of their household rubbish, wood, metal, tires, cardboard and mattresses to Tower Court for free. All materials brought to the site will be recycled if possible. Please be prepared to unload your non-commercial vehicle and sort the contents into recycling categories. The hours of operation will be Monday through Friday, 1 to 7 p.m. and on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sorry, no hazardous waste accepted. Please call 373-5810 for more information.

'Christmas in April' gears up for day of good deeds on April 25

From Christmas in April Greater Sacramento

On April 25, Christmas in April Greater Sacramento all-volunteer workforce will renovate homes and community facilities for low income, elderly and disabled individuals throughout the area. More than 200 local businesses have also joined in to provide materials and supplies for the projects and meals and drinks for the volunteers.

The Christmas in April chapter, along with approximately 2,800 volunteers, spend one Saturday in April each year to renovate homes and community facilities for low income, elderly and disabled Sacramento residents. Throughout the nation, 205 other Christmas in April chapters are also hard at work this same weekend.

"Our volunteers really enjoy the one-day event," stated Connie Higashiyama, president of Christmas in April's Greater Sacramento chapter. "Not only do they get to see the efforts of all their hard work take shape over the course of the day, but also because being able to complete their volunteer service in a single day makes it easy on even the busiest schedules."

Since its inception in 1991, Christmas in April Greater Sacramento has recruited more than 10,000 volunteers to renovate 82 homes and 25 community facilities. 1998 marks the 26th year since Christmas in April's first renewal of the American barn raising tradition in Midland, Texas in 1972. This year, Christmas in April will rehabilitate a total of 5,500 homes and community centers throughout the country on the April 25 workday.

If you would like to find out how you can volunteer your time, contact Christmas in April at P.O. Box 255584, Sacramento, 95825, or leave a message at (916) 929-3588.

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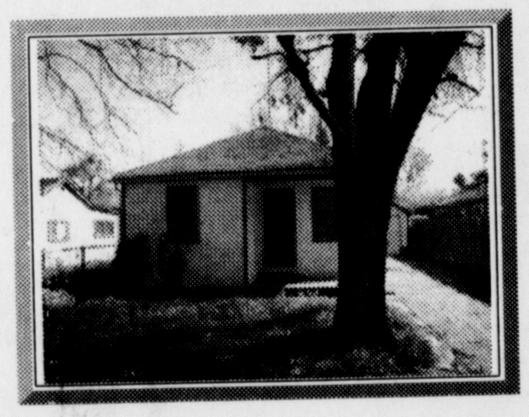

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Sports Quiz Answers

1. "Sudden Sam"; 2. Dave McNally of the Baltimore Orioles lost 5-3 to the New York Mets who won the series, 4 games to 1; 3 San Francisco Giants; San Diego Padres; Detroit Tigers and Montreal Expos; 4. John Milner; 5. The Minnesota Twins in 1969; 6. Number 5; 7. Terry Steinbach of the1996 Oakland A's with 35; 8. Joe played 23 games for the Chicago Cubs in 1983; 9. Boston Red Sox in 1967; 10. George Foster of the Cincinnati Reds had 52 in 1977

Answers to Super Crossword

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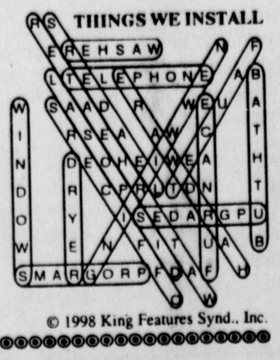

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